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Mr. Hugh Chancy Member, Board of Directors National Community Pharmacist's Association 100 Dangerfield Road Alexandria, VA 22314

Dear Mr. Chancy:

Thank you for appearing before the Subcommittee on Health on September 5, 2018, to testify at the hearing entitled "Opportunities to Improve Health Care."

Pursuant to the Rules of the Committee on Energy and Commerce, the hearing record remains open for ten business days to permit Members to submit additional questions for the record, which are attached. To facilitate the printing of the hearing record, please respond to these questions with a transmittal letter by the close of business on October 3, 2018. Your responses should be mailed to Dan Butler, Legislative Clerk, Committee on Energy and Commerce, 2125 Rayburn House Office Building, Washington, DC 20515 and e-mailed in Word format to dan.butler@mail.house.gov.

Thank you again for your time and effort preparing and delivering testimony before the Subcommittee.

Sincerely.

Michael C. Burgess, M.D.

Chairman

Subcommittee on Health

cc: The Honorable Gene Green, Ranking Member, Subcommittee on Health

Attachment

Attachment — Additional Questions for the Record

The Honorable Earl L. "Buddy" Carter

1. In your interactions with Pharmacy Benefit Managers (PBMs), are you able to negotiate with PBMs to have provisions altered or removed from contracts such as non-disparagement clauses? If not, why do you feel required to sign these contracts?